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NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

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For: CELL CALCIFICATION SUPRESSING PROTEINS, AND
GENES OF THE PROTEINS

1. This new application is for a:
☒ Utility ☐ Design ☐ Plant
2. Papers enclosed which are required for a filing date:
 26 Pages of a foreign language specification including
 Title Page
 2 Pages of claims and
 1 Page(s) of Abstract
 11 Sheets of ☒ FORMAL ☐ INFORMAL drawings containing
 11 Figures

☐ The enclosed drawing(s) are photograph(s), and there is also attached a
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3. Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney
☐ Enclosed - and is executed by all inventors
☒ Not Enclosed
 This application is being filed under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.53(d).
 Applicant(s) await notification from the Patent and Trademark Office of the time
 set for filing the Declaration and paying the filing fees.
4. Language
☐ English
☒ Non-English

This application is being filed in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.52(d) and §608.01 of the MPEP. Applicant(s) await notification from the Patent and Trademark Office of the time set for filing the verified English translation and the processing fee.

5. Assignment

☐ is attached and Assignment of the invention is to _____
☐ also enclosed is the Form PTO 1595, Recordation Form Cover Sheet.

☒ will be filed at a later date

6. Certified Copy

Application(s) from which priority is claimed are:

Country	Application No.	Filed

Certified copy(ies) is/are ☐ attached ☐ will follow

7. Small Entity Statement(s)

☐ Verified Statement(s) that this is a filing by a small entity under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is(are) attached.

8. Fee Payment

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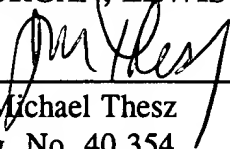
9. Additional papers enclosed.

- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☐ Form PTO-1449
- ☐ Citations

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Respectfully submitted,

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